For the LOVE of GOD

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"REAP: GENESIS 22"

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READ

EXAMINE

- What is happening in this passage? What words, phrases, or ideas seem particularly important?

- What does this text teach you about the gospel?
  - (Character of God) What does this text teach you about God?
  - (Sinfulness of Man) What does this text teach you about man?
  - (Sufficiency of Christ) What does this text teach you about who Jesus is and why we need Him?
  - (Necessity of Faith) What does this text teach you about trusting and following Jesus?
  - (Urgency of Eternity) What does this text teach you about the hope of heaven or the horror of hell?

APPLY

- What sin(s) do I need to repent of and/or avoid?

- What truth(s) do I need to believe?

- What command(s) do I need to obey (what do I need to give up, stop doing, start doing, or continue doing)?

- What principle(s) need to change the way I think, speak, and/or act, and how will I implement this change?

- What relationship(s) do I need to establish, strengthen, or change?

- By the power of God's Spirit, what can I do *today* to apply God's Word to my life?

PRAY

Pray according to what you've read, asking God to change your heart, mind, attitudes, actions, and relationships based on the time you've spent in His Word. Let this specific praying lead you more generally to…

- Praise—Worship God for who He is.
- Repent—Confess your sin to God and acknowledge your need for Jesus.
- Ask—Intercede for particular needs in your life and other's lives.
- Yield—Surrender your life to following Jesus wherever and however He leads you.